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APPLICANTS: Shimkets et al.
SERIAL NUMBER: 10/644,469 EXAMINER:
FILING DATE: August 20, 2003 ART UNIT: To Be Determined
FOR: Methods for Diagnosing and Treatment of Conditions That Alter Phosphate Transport in Mammals

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Transmitted herewith for filing in the present application are the following documents:

1. Response to Notice to File Missing Parts
2. Petition for Three Month Extension of Time
3. Preliminary Amendment
4. Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney
5. Assignments
6. Return Postcard

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees required in connection with the paper(s) transmitted herewith, or to credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No.502648, Reference No.Cura 904

Respectfully submitted,

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Application of: Shimkets and Carpenter

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For: METHODS FOR DIAGNOSING AND
TREATMENT OF CONDITIONS THAT
ALTER PHOSPHATE TRANSPORT IN
MAMMALS

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL
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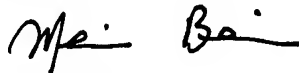
Sir:

In response to the Notice To File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated June 28, 2004 ("Notice," a copy of which is submitted herewith) in connection with the above-identified application, Applicants hereby submit: (1) Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney For Patent Application executed by co-inventors Richard A. Shimkets and Thomas O. Carpenter, respectively, in two counterparts; (2) replacement drawings including Figures 1-4 in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.84 and 1.121, and Preliminary Amendment; (3) a Petition to Extend time with required fees; and (4) a copy of each assignment executed by co-inventors Richard A. Shimkets and Thomas O. Carpenter, respectively. The assignments are filed concurrently to the USPTO for recordation under a separate cover.

The Commissioner for Patent is also authorized to charge to Deposit Account No. 502684 the late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1/16(e) of \$65, as indicated in the Notice.

Respectfully submitted,

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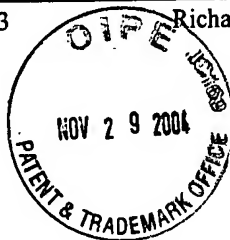
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
 - The drawings submitted to the Office are not electronically reproducible. Drawing sheets must be submitted on paper, which is flexible, strong, white, smooth, non-shiny, and durable (see 37 CFR 1.84(e)). See Figure(s) 3.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$65** for a Small Entity

- **\$65** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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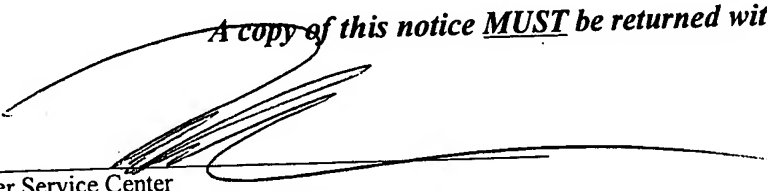
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